

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the written specification as follows wherein new text is indicated with underlining and deleted text is indicated with ~~strikethrough~~ or enclosed within [[double brackets]]:

Please add a comma as indicated in the paragraph starting at the bottom of page 7 and continuing on page 8 as follows:

The video programming and corresponding Internet pages can be viewed either on personal computers equipped with a television card, on special digital cable boxes with stored interactive Internet application software providing Internet access, or on digital television sets, all of which would utilize the specialized TV/Internet software of the present invention.

Please amend the paragraph starting on page 12 and continuing on page 13 as follows:

With respect to the video segments, cameras 100 are preferably trained on different segments of the sporting event 10. As is common with broadcasts of a football game, for example, cameras 100 could be located in the endzone, press box, the field and at various other locations throughout the stadium. Further, various video options can be created including video replay, slow motion, isolation on cheerleaders, particular player or group of players. Instant replays are created by delaying the live feed for a certain number of seconds. These video streams are sent to a control studio 5. The control studio 5 contains the necessary equipment for packaging the program for delivery to the viewers. The studio 5 contains a video switcher 105 which receives the live signals from the cameras 100 by way of various input lines. Further, lines carrying recorded video streams from one or more VCRs 110, computers or CD players feed into the video switcher 105. The video switcher 105 also receives video inputs from the control computer 135. Further, various graphics screens, depicting, for example, sports team or player statistics can be designed with the control personal computer 135 and forwarded to the

digital video switcher video switcher 105. The producer, via the control PC 135, directs which video options to pass through the video switcher 105. At the output of the video switcher IDS, each of the different output video streams access a separate encoder 125 and are all GENLOCKED, so that each video stream is synchronized with the other video streams.

Please amend the paragraph starting on page 13 and continuing on page 14 as follows:

The control studio 5 also contains an audio switcher 115 which receives live audio signals from microphones or recorded audio from tape players 120, CDs, VCRs 110, etc.[[.]] The control computer 135 sends commands (not shown) to the audio switcher 115 directing which audio options should pass through the switch 115. Further, in the audio switcher 115 the various audio signals can be aligned to match the various video signals in time. In addition, VCR 110 audio output is received by the audio switcher 115. The present invention can accommodate any number of audio signals as output from the audio switcher 115, as directed by the producer. The audio outputs are received by [[an]] a digital audio encoder/compressor 130. The audio signals are then preferably sampled, encoded and compressed in the digital audio encoder/ compressor 130. The encoding technique can be a waveform coding technique such as PCM, ADPCM or DM. Alternatively, the signals can be encoded using synthesizer or vocoder techniques such as MUSICAM, Linear Predictive Coding (LPC), Adaptive Predictive Coding (APC), and Sub-band coding. Generally, the transmission rate is about 256 kbps per audio for the stereo pair.